Inheriting the Wind:
The Amazing Truth About the Scopes Trial

7:30 PM, Nov. 18, 2008, Totino Fine Arts Center, F2128 (Old Room 116), Northwestern College

Educational and theological struggles symbolized by the Scopes Trial of 1925 have never been more timely than today. Most of the issues then are the same ones debated today: Teaching theory as fact; Separation of church and state; Young earth versus old earth; Can the Bible be trusted; and, Did death or sin come first? The actual Scopes trial dealt with none of the above issues in a straight forward manner.

The legend is far more myth than reality - Press reports did not report the actual trial - Good guys and bad guys are hard to tell apart (20 lawyers can be confusing) - Creation/evolution issues were hardly discussed at all - Defendant John Scopes was the Prosecutor's best friend - Scopes never taught Evolution in the Dayton High School - The jury missed 90% of the trial.

The trial was nothing like the newspaper reports and the movie was pure fiction. Yet it marked the opening salvo of the ACLU's attack on truth by way of media manipulation.

Lyn Griffin is an excellent communicator who will bring the trial and it’s ramifications to life.

All meetings are free and open to the public, an offering will be accepted.

Have you considered …

... the hurricane. As NASA states, “Hurricanes are the most powerful accumulations of energy on earth.” They are violent ocean churning storms. Of what benefit are they? Hurricanes release a tremendous amount of rainfall. Hurricane Isabella rained down 400 trillion tons of fresh water during her lifetime. Hurricanes are one huge desalination plant. Many times, hurricanes bring much needed rain to hot, drought affected countries. In fact, many regions owe their harvest success to hurricanes. Hurricanes water the crops and replenish ground water. Also, scientists using satellites can track the path of a hurricane by looking at the heat content of the water. They have found that the trailing pathway of a hurricane is considerably cooler after the storm passes. After Hurricane Fabian, the ocean waters were 10 degrees cooler. Hurricanes help cool the hot ocean waters. Hot surface waters are replaced by deeper, cooler water that well up and by the removal of hot ocean water through evaporation. Ocean water evaporation removes heat and releases it into the atmosphere, often far from where the storm picked it up. In fact, hurricanes act as a safety valve and spread this extra heat out away from the tropical zones toward the poles. Yes, hurricanes are powerful storms, but they do much more than harmful destruction.

... stop and consider God’s wonders. Job 37:14
http://learners.gsfc.nasa.gov/mediaviewer/sat_super/
Julie Von Vett is available to speak (651) 464-4361

Coming Up . . .

December—No meeting or newsletter
Jan. 20—Jason Carlson—Theistic Evolution
Feb. 14,15—Science Fair at Har Mar Mall
Feb. 17—Bruce Simat—Alzheimer's
March 17—Joe Taylor—Mt. Blanco Museum
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TCCSA’s STATEMENT OF BELIEF
We believe in God: The Father, Son and Holy Spirit. We believe that the Bible is the inspired Word of God, and that all of its assertions are historically and scientifically true in the original autographs; this means that the account of origins in Genesis is a factual presentation of actual historical truths.
We believe that the origin of matter and all basic types of living things, including man, came about through direct creative acts of God during the six-day creation week described in Genesis. Whatever biological changes have occurred since the creation week have accomplished only changes within the created kinds.
We believe that the great flood described in Genesis, commonly referred to as the Noachian Flood, was an historic event, world-wide in extent and effect.
We accept the account of the special creation of Adam and Eve as the first man and woman. Their subsequent fall into sin, by disobedience of God’s direct command, is the basis for our belief in the necessity of a Savior for all mankind.
Therefore, we believe that Jesus Christ is our Lord and only Savior and that personal faith in Him is necessary for salvation.

The writing contest is over for 2008 but you can read what the students wrote at www.tccsa.tc. Some of the authors are scheduled to read their paper at upcoming monthly meetings.

Science Fair 2009 is scheduled for February 14 & 15 at Har Mar Mall in Roseville. This is a highlight of the year. Students present their projects from a Christian perspective to mall visitors. If you have a K-12 student, plan to participate this year.